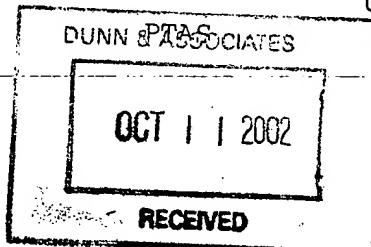




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for which we have made application for Letters Patent in the United States as U.S. Serial No. 09/420,695 filed October 19, 1999;

AND WHEREAS, BOYCE THOMPSON INSTITUTE FOR PLANT RESEARCH, INC., Tower Road, Ithaca, New York 14853-1801, organized in the State of New York, is desirous of acquiring all interest of the above-named inventor in said invention, said application disclosing the invention and any Letters Patent which may be granted therefor:

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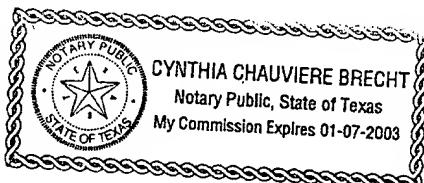
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